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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: McCORMICK

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WATER MANAGEMENT AND STORM
WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND
METHOD

EXAMINER: SINGH

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AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Sir:

In Response to the Office Action mailed in the above referenced application on July 8, 2004, Applicant responds as follows:

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